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SUBJECT: PRESS CONFERENCE OF ISRAELI MINISTER

HAUSNER IN SAN JOSE

1. ON MAY 27 THE MORNING PAPERS OF SAN JOSE REPORTED ON A PRESS CONFERENCE GIVEN BY ISRAELI MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO GUIDON HAUSNER WHO IS VISITING COSTA RICA FOR TWO DAYS.

2. IN THE PRESS CONFERENCE HAUSNER REPORTEDLY CLAIMED THAT ISRAEL FEARS ANBZHER WAR BECAUSE EGYPT AND SYRIA CONTINUE TO SPEAK PUBLICLY ABOUT A WAR TO THEIR POPULATIONS. HAUSNER ALLEGEDLY SAID ISRAEL WAS WILLING TO RETURN PETROLEUM SITES AND STRATEGIC PASSES TO EGYPT IN RETURN FOR GUARANTEES OF PEACE. HE CLAIMED THAT ISRAEL IS PREPARED FOR MULTI-LATERAL OR BILATERAL TALKS THROUGH THE U.S. OR IN A GENEVA CONFERENCE.

3. WHEN QUESTIONED ABOUT THE GUARANTEES OF THE U.S. AFTER THE RECENT FALL OF CAMBODIA AND SOUTH VIETNAM, HAUSNER REPORTEDLY SAID THAT THE GUARANTEES OF EGYPT AND SYRIA WERE MORE IMPORTANT SINCE THE U.S. AND THE USSR WOULD EVENTUALLY LEAVE THE MIDDLE EAST. HE REPORTEDLY ADDED THAT ISRAEL WANTS HELP FROM THE U.S. BUT DOES NOT WANT ANY FOREIGN

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SOLDIERS FIGHTING FOR THE ISRAELI CAUSE.

4. IN ITS COVERAGE OF THE PRESS CONFERENCE LA NACION  
REPORTED HAUSNER'S REMARKS ON INCREASED COSTA RICAN-ISRAELI  
TRADE. THE ARTICLE CLAIMED THAT ISRAEL WILL BUY FOUR  
MILLION TONS OF MEAT FROM COSTA RICA,  
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